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In re application of Art Unit 1797  
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For: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR WASHING OF LIME MUD

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15 **AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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20 This is in response to the Office action of 17  
September 2009. Please amend the above-identified patent  
application as follows:

Please add the following paragraph to page 1, line 2  
below the title:

--PRIOR APPLICATION

This application is a U.S. national phase application  
5 based on International Application No. PCT/SE2005/000537,  
filed 14 April 2005, claiming priority from Swedish Patent  
Application No. 0401000-5, filed 16 April 2004.--

Please amend the paragraph/sentence on page 1, lines 3-4,  
10 as shown below:

The present invention relates to a method and device for  
washing of lime mud ~~according to the introduction to claim 1~~  
~~and an arrangement according to the introduction to claim 12.~~  
~~The present invention concerns a method according to the~~  
15 ~~preamble of claim 1 and a device according to the preamble of~~  
~~claim 7.~~

Please delete the paragraph/sentence on page 4, lines 24-  
25, as shown below:

20 ~~This is achieved with a method according to claim 1 and an~~  
~~arrangement according to claim 12.~~

Please delete the paragraph/sentence on page 5, lines 22-  
23, as shown below:

25 ~~This is achieved with a method according to claim 1 and an~~  
~~arrangement according to claim 12.~~

Please add the following paragraph at the end of the detailed description but before the claims, as shown below:

5       --While the present invention has been described in accordance with preferred compositions and embodiments, it is to be understood that certain substitutions and alterations may be made thereto without departing from the spirit and scope of the following claims.--